Killer Sudoku #1

12		10		14	10		4	
31					34			
		11	18			3		
5	8		12		15		11	15
		19		21		9		
7								10
	24	8			16		15	
9		9		27	10			8

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This is the LAST time I take travel suggestions from Ray Bradbury!

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Killer Sudoku #2

12	17	20					19	7
		10	9	14	9	12		
7								10
	16		19			10		
	18	7			15		17	
27		12			5			31
		17		5	11			
		10	26			13		

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"Be yourself; The world worships the original."
-- Ingrid Bergman

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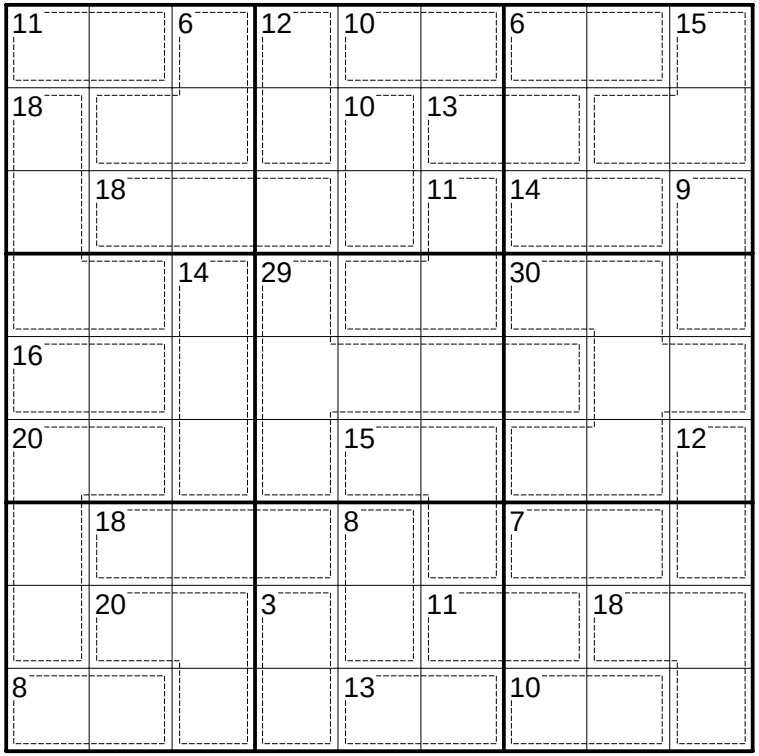
Killer Sudoku #3



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"Love you will find only where you may show yourself weak without provoking strength."
-- Theodor Adorno

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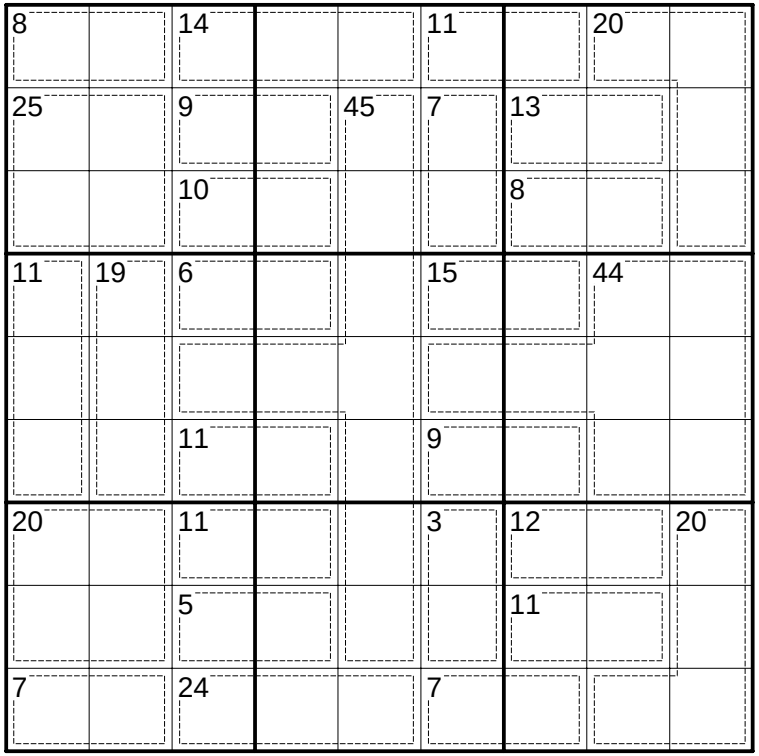
Killer Sudoku #4



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"I can live for two months on a good compliment."
-- Mark Twain

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Killer Sudoku #5

13		7		5	16		7	
10	11	11	32			9	8	13
	8	6		9	16		9	
21		10			9			20
	5	24		21	9		17	
		9				12		
	25						21	
			12					

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Old age is not so bad when you consider the alternatives.
-- Maurice Chevalier

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Killer Sudoku #6

36			9	16	15		12	
3							15	
21			6		11	16		13
		7		22				
13		8			9		16	
	18		16		13			
				11		27		
13		16	11		9		13	
10								

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Remember, UNIX spelled backwards is XINU.

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Killer Sudoku #7

11		14		11	12	24		15
10		19						
			9	11			14	5
9		11		6		9		
14			14				10	
11			8	15			11	12
6	21			6		25		
	15		18	10	9			10

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"My father considered a walk among the mountains as the equivalent of churchgoing."
-- Aldous Huxley

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Killer Sudoku #8

13		21	6	14	8	22	11	
6								
	21	11			21		5	
		23		21			13	
	16				17			24
		10						
8				14	12			9
23			6		10	12		
13							15	

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

17	18	41	43	1	44	42	9	8
38	22	39	37	2	35	63	57	15
40	23	30	52	24	47	3	36	16
12	58	26	59	13	53	4	54	27
14	60	31	55	48	45	25	56	28
10	19	29	49	50	46	20	21	6
11	77	32	33	51	78	69	34	7
70	71	79	64	80	72	65	66	73
67	74	81	61	75	76	5	62	68

Killer Sudoku #2

61	76	8	73	70	56	10	77	52
62	78	53	79	68	48	63	80	49
24	81	50	74	71	47	64	75	16
21	2	3	54	55	51	5	6	22
11	31	19	20	25	40	38	32	23
39	33	7	13	26	12	9	34	35
18	30	15	14	27	46	45	28	17
65	36	41	66	29	57	43	37	58
67	1	42	72	69	59	44	4	60

Killer Sudoku #3

26	38	56	13	14	9	46	47	15
7	57	58	10	6	1	2	76	59
39	44	45	27	5	28	77	60	3
30	36	61	62	29	31	78	63	4
40	41	79	80	64	32	33	81	65
37	48	66	67	49	34	68	69	50
11	70	71	12	8	19	72	73	20
21	42	43	22	16	17	51	52	23
35	53	54	24	25	18	74	75	55

Killer Sudoku #4

63	57	22	32	33	1	2	40	41
51	50	26	25	8	27	45	46	47
76	64	13	12	9	28	35	36	48
81	52	24	23	77	42	37	65	66
78	53	29	34	79	43	44	58	67
68	54	30	31	69	7	6	59	70
80	71	19	18	21	16	38	39	72
73	60	14	17	20	15	49	55	61
74	75	5	11	10	3	4	62	56

Killer Sudoku #5

24	25	7	8	1	3	4	27	28
9	64	70	65	2	66	29	55	67
10	56	68	57	45	31	30	46	58
11	34	47	42	22	5	6	37	33
38	35	39	41	23	80	81	36	40
48	49	18	16	19	75	76	15	77
50	51	74	17	20	72	78	14	79
52	59	73	60	21	71	69	61	62
12	53	26	43	44	63	32	54	13

Killer Sudoku #6

76	77	78	11	31	25	27	28	29
65	63	33	10	32	15	26	50	51
1	41	39	20	19	22	30	44	45
64	62	23	18	60	16	34	43	56
68	66	24	17	59	8	9	46	47
79	69	70	2	61	4	5	52	57
71	80	40	3	13	12	81	42	7
72	67	35	21	53	36	14	48	49
73	74	37	6	54	38	75	55	58

Killer Sudoku #7

62	60	3	61	25	46	63	57	29
68	58	54	59	30	44	64	55	28
65	45	39	20	47	43	66	4	10
38	37	12	18	31	32	19	5	11
34	35	13	23	50	51	14	1	2
69	70	15	16	27	26	17	6	8
24	52	53	21	49	48	40	7	9
33	71	56	72	41	79	67	73	80
74	75	22	76	42	81	36	77	78

Killer Sudoku #8

57	54	62	63	34	60	64	74	65
12	45	66	67	33	61	68	69	70
9	8	7	10	13	11	4	59	58
80	55	16	52	31	2	14	75	76
81	41	46	47	20	29	77	78	56
48	15	6	1	32	30	19	53	49
23	22	5	3	24	17	18	21	25
42	44	43	38	40	27	71	72	26
50	51	35	36	39	28	37	79	73

INSTRUCTIONS: These hint grids reveal the order in which the squares were solved by my computer. It's not necessarily the same order you would use, but it's probably close. Follow the numbered squares in order 1,2,3,... until you find a square you haven't solved yet. This square (or the one or two immediately after it) is a good candidate to solve next.

Answers

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Killer Sudoku #1

7	5	6	4	9	2	8	1	3
8	1	2	7	5	3	6	9	4
9	4	3	6	1	8	2	7	5
4	2	8	9	3	5	1	6	7
1	6	9	2	7	4	3	5	8
5	3	7	1	8	6	4	2	9
2	8	5	3	6	9	7	4	1
3	7	4	5	2	1	9	8	6
6	9	1	8	4	7	5	3	2

Killer Sudoku #2

9	7	5	4	6	3	2	8	1
3	4	8	2	5	1	9	7	6
1	6	2	7	9	8	3	4	5
2	9	7	1	8	5	4	6	3
4	5	1	6	3	7	8	9	2
6	8	3	9	2	4	1	5	7
7	3	9	8	1	6	5	2	4
5	2	6	3	4	9	7	1	8
8	1	4	5	7	2	6	3	9

Killer Sudoku #3

5	6	1	8	7	3	2	4	9
8	3	2	4	9	6	7	5	1
7	4	9	5	1	2	6	8	3
1	2	3	7	4	5	8	9	6
9	7	5	6	8	1	4	3	2
4	8	6	3	2	9	1	7	5
6	1	8	9	3	4	5	2	7
2	9	7	1	5	8	3	6	4
3	5	4	2	6	7	9	1	8

Killer Sudoku #4

2	6	8	1	5	7	4	3	9
9	7	3	6	2	4	5	8	1
5	4	1	9	8	3	6	2	7
7	8	4	2	1	6	9	5	3
1	2	5	7	3	9	8	6	4
3	9	6	5	4	8	1	7	2
8	1	7	4	6	2	3	9	5
6	5	2	3	9	1	7	4	8
4	3	9	8	7	5	2	1	6

Killer Sudoku #5

5	8	6	1	2	7	9	3	4
1	2	7	9	3	4	8	6	5
3	9	4	5	6	8	1	2	7
6	3	2	4	8	9	7	5	1
7	5	8	2	1	3	6	4	9
4	1	9	7	5	6	2	8	3
2	4	5	8	7	1	3	9	6
8	6	1	3	9	5	4	7	2
9	7	3	6	4	2	5	1	8

Killer Sudoku #6

8	4	3	1	6	9	2	5	7
1	2	5	8	7	3	4	6	9
6	9	7	4	2	5	1	3	8
9	1	4	3	8	6	5	7	2
7	5	6	2	9	1	8	4	3
2	3	8	7	5	4	9	1	6
4	6	1	9	3	8	7	2	5
5	8	2	6	1	7	3	9	4
3	7	9	5	4	2	6	8	1

Killer Sudoku #7

8	2	5	1	6	3	7	4	9
7	1	4	8	5	9	3	2	6
3	6	9	2	4	7	8	5	1
6	3	8	7	1	5	2	9	4
9	5	1	4	8	2	6	7	3
4	7	2	3	9	6	1	8	5
1	8	6	5	2	4	9	3	7
5	9	7	6	3	8	4	1	2
2	4	3	9	7	1	5	6	8

Killer Sudoku #8

6	7	4	2	1	5	9	3	8
1	8	9	4	7	3	6	2	5
5	2	3	8	6	9	7	4	1
3	9	8	6	4	1	5	7	2
7	5	6	9	8	2	3	1	4
4	1	2	3	5	7	8	6	9
2	6	1	7	9	8	4	5	3
8	3	7	5	2	4	1	9	6
9	4	5	1	3	6	2	8	7